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# DAHLIAS



OUR LIST IS SMALL, BUT  
WE HAVE ALL THE MOST  
DESIRABLE VARIETIES

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LONG AND STIFF STEMS  
MAKING THEM SUITABLE  
FOR CUT FLOWERS



**R. J. Gibbins**

Mt. Holly New Jersey



**ATTRACTION (Hybrid Cactus)**

Large, elegant flower of a clear lilac rose; borne on long stems and a dahlia of exceptional merit. A true pæony cactus type.

**BETTY AUSTIN (Cactus)**

Color rosy carmine, shading yellow at base and tips of petals. A profuse bloomer of splendid form, borne on stiff slender stems well above the foliage.

**BREAK O' DAY (Hybrid Cactus)**

Cream.

**CRYSTAL (Cactus)**

The finest dahlia in its class and color. Flowers of large size, borne in profusion; petals long, twisted and incurved; color a soft, silvery rose, shading to white at centre and tips. Stems pendant at times.

**DELICE (Decorative)**

Violet rose, lightly suffused aniline red; on the whole a bright, yet soft, luminous pink. Flowers held well above the foliage on long straight stems.

**DOROTHY PEACOCK (Show)**

A beautiful pale lilac rose, shading to white at centre; of fine branching habit.

**DREER'S WHITE (Show)**

The finest snow-white show dahlia as yet introduced; flowers of perfect form, borne in great profusion.

**DUCHESS OF MARLBORO (Cactus)**

Flower composed of long twisted and incurved petals; fine form, large and graceful stem. Color golden orange, overlaid solferino.

**F. W. FELLOWS (Cactus)**

Flowers of phenomenal size, composed of numerous long narrow petals of a lively orange scarlet. A good exhibition variety.

**GEORGE WALTERS (Hybrid Cactus)**

A monster hybrid cactus of coppery old gold with buff base; fine form; a prize winner, and a California standard.

**GLADYS BATES (Cactus)**

A huge cut flower with incurved petals. Blooms held on erect stems. Color tan, with rose reverse. Perfect form, with full centre. A dahlia of real merit.

**GLORY OF ARGONNE (Decorative)**

Color delicate violet rose, shading to white at centre; perfect, even form on erect stem. One of our best, and fine for cut flower or exhibition.

**INSULINDE (Hybrid Decorative)**

The finest and most artistic dahlia; of distinct form, with petals twisted and curled. Stems are two to three feet long, and flowers nine to ten inches across. Color a rich saffron yellow, shaded russet orange.

**ISABEL STREET (Decorative)**

Color yellow at base of petals, shading bright rose red, with white tips. A very strong, vigorous grower, producing large well-formed flowers on long erect stems.

**KALIF (Colossal Cactus)**

Color rich strawberry red, or carmine. The mammoth flowers are borne on stiff stems and in great profusion, especially considering the size of the flower, which frequently measures from eight to ten inches in diameter.

**LE GRAND MANITOU (Decorative)**

A superb giant of excellent form; color Bishop's violet, mottled and striped French purple; some blossoms self-colored.

**MRS. C. H. BRECK (Hybrid Decorative)**

A beautiful, large, free-flowering, exhibition variety. Soft yellow suffused with carmine.

### **MRS. EDNA SPENCER (Hybrid Cactus)**

A giant of the true cactus type, greatly recommended for its keeping qualities as a cut flower. Flowers held erect on the best of stems. Color pale lilac, shading lighter at centre.

### **MINA BURGLE (Decorative)**

Rich, dark scarlet or geranium red; profuse bloomer; ideal for the garden or as a cut flower.

### **PATRICK O'MARA (Decorative)**

Soft orange buff, slightly tinged with rose. Flowers of medium size and good form, produced on long, erect stems.

### **PIERROT (Cactus)**

Deep amber, usually tipped white; a great exhibition variety.

### **QUEEN MARY (Decorative)**

A good all-purpose dahlia, especially good for cutting. Color clear, silvery pink, shading cerise. Fine stems and bush.

### **SEQUOIA (Cactus)**

Petals tubular, twisted and incurved; color deep Indian yellow, suffused madder rose. Free flowering and early.



### **PRICE OF NAMED KINDS**

Each, 25 cents. 12 for \$2.50.

### **UNNAMED KINDS**

We also have a collection of unnamed varieties, containing some rare ones.  
10 for \$1.00. 100 for \$8.00.

### **SHIPMENTS**

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C. O. D. if desired.